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PATENT APPLICATION

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Vicente V. Cavanna et al.

Serial No.: 10/080,886

Examiner: Joseph D. Torres

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Group Art Unit: 2133

Title: METHODS FOR COMPUTING THE CRC OF A MESSAGE FROM THE INCREMENTAL CRCS OF COMPOSITE SUB-MESSAGES

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

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TOTAL CLAIMS	9	MINUS	17	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	6	= 0	X \$88	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+ \$300 \$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$430.00	3RD MONTH \$980.00	4TH MONTH \$1530.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
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Respectfully submitted,

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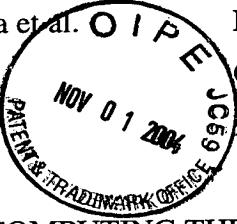
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed July 28, 2004. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: